

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In Re Application of** )  
Anthony Mauro ) For: **DISCONTINUOUS**  
 ) **TRANSMISSION (DTX)**  
 ) **CONTROLLER SYSTEM AND**  
 ) **METHOD**  
Serial No. 09/742,039 )  
 )  
Filed: December 19, 2000 ) Group No. 2131

**AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 2, 2006, the time for responding has been extended until April 2, 2007 and Applicant would like to submit the following amendments and remarks.

**SUMMARY OF AMENDMENTS**

1. **Claims 1, 4, 6-9, 14-17, and 22-25 have been amended.**
2. **Claims 30-33 have been added.** A complete list of pending claims follows.